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November 16, 2000

Sarah M. Brown, Treasurer  
Ohio Republican State & Central  
Executive Committee  
211 S. Fifth Street  
Columbus, OH 43215

Identification Number: C00162339

Reference: July Quarterly Report (4/01/00-6/30/00)

Dear Ms. Brown:

On October 25, 2000, you were notified that a review of the above-referenced report(s) raised questions as to specific contributions and/or expenditures, and the reporting of certain information required by the Federal Election Campaign Act.

Your November 6, 2000, response is incomplete because you have not provided all the requested information. For this response to be considered adequate, the following information is still required.

-Schedule B supporting Line 29 of your report (pertinent portion attached) discloses \$93,852.90 in transfers to what appears to be your non-federal account to "correct state alloc". You are advised that 11 CFR §102.5 prohibits a non-federal account from financing activity in connection with federal elections. Please provide clarifying information regarding these corrections including the date(s) when the original activity was conducted by the non-federal account if this was the case.

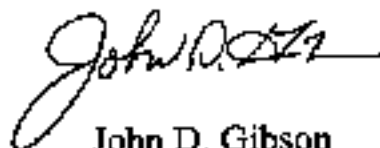
-Please amend your report by providing the purpose for each disbursement itemized on Schedule H4 supporting Line 21(a).

-Please amend your report by providing the full address for each attached memo entry for credit card transactions for Schedule H4 supporting Line 21(a).

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by December 6, 2000. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Andrew Dodson on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



John D. Gibson  
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Reports Analysis Division

